May 8, 2008

DANVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT LOCAL/STATE BOARD FACILITIES HEARING REPORT

A Local/State public hearing was held at Danville High School May 8, 2008, at 5:30 p.m. (EDT). The purpose of the public hearing was to propose a new District Facility Plan developed by the Danville Independent Schools Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 12-0 in favor of the proposed new plan and the Board voted 5-0 to approve the new plan.

There were **(3) three** individuals in attendance. Grover Canty, Facilitator for the Kentucky School Boards Association, served as the district-appointed hearing officer.

COMMENTS

Mr. David Davis called the public hearing to order and welcomed the hearing officer to the district. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The hearing officer read the proposed new District Facility Plan that includes:

Major Additions/Renovations to Bate Middle School, Danville High School, Hogsett Elementary School, Jennie Rogers Elementary School, and Toliver Elementary School all listed in Priority Two (2). Construction of a new Central Bus Garage and Central Maintenance/Storage Facility, major renovation to the Central Office Facility, purchase or acquire but not limited to the Bruce Hall/Barbee Hall/Lee Hall Complex from the Commonwealth of Kentucky in Priority Four (4). Several discretionary projects at the three Elementary Schools and Bate Middle School are listed in priority five (5).

There were only three people at the hearing: Mr. Davis, Mr. Bob Rowland and the hearing officer. No one spoke concerning the plan and there were no written statements addressing the plan.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended by the hearing officer that the new District Facility Plan developed by the Danville Independent Local Planning Committee and adopted by the Danville Independent Board of Education be approved as the District Facility Plan for the Danville Independent School District by the Kentucky Department of Education and the Kentucky Board of Education. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted, Reviewed by;

Grover M. Canty, Hearing Officer Timothy K. Lucas, KDE Fac. Mgmt.

cc: Mark W. Ryles, Director Attachments: Local/State Board Public Hearing Agenda Planning File Danville Independent School District

Facility Plan